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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
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13 RAHINAH IBRAHIM, an individual,

14 Plaintiff,

15 vs.

16 DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
17 SECURITY, et al.,

18 Defendants.
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Case No.: C 06-0545 WHA

**DECLARATION OF RAHINAH
IBRAHIM IN SUPPORT OF
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR AWARD
OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS**

Date: March 13, 2014

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Ctrm: 8 - 19th Floor

Judge: The Hon. William Alsup

20 I, Rahinah Ibrahim, declare:

21 1. I am the plaintiff in this action. I have personal knowledge of the following facts,
22 and if called upon, could and would testify competently thereto. I submit this declaration in
23 support of Plaintiff's Motion for Award of Attorneys' Fees and Costs.

24 2. I retained the law firm of McManis Faulkner on June 24, 2005 to bring this action
25 on my behalf.

26 3. Prior to retaining McManis Faulkner, I contacted numerous attorneys, non-profit
27 legal organizations, and private law firms in the Bay Area to obtain representation. McManis
28 Faulkner was the only law firm willing to take my case on a *pro bono* basis.

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1 4. I have never been requested to pay McManis Faulkner for the millions of dollars
2 in legal services rendered in this case, nor would I be able to afford to do so. I received
3 approximately \$30,000 of the \$225,000 settlement obtained from the non-federal defendants. It
4 is my understanding that the balance was paid to McManis Faulkner.

5 5. My net worth does not currently exceed \$2,000,000, nor did it exceed \$2,000,000
6 at the time this action was filed.

7 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is
8 true and correct.

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10 DATED: 27/Jan, 2014



RAHINAH IBRAHIM